Message

From: Adm13McCarthy, Gina [Adm13McCarthy.Gina@epa.gov]

Sent: 9/26/2014 10:04:46 PM

To: Jones, Jim [Jones.Jim@epa.gov]

Subject: RE: Daily Reading File: September 26, 2014

Excellent, Thanks

From: Jones, Jim

Sent: Friday, September 26, 2014 5:16 PM

To: Adm13McCarthy, Gina

Subject: Re: Daily Reading File: September 26, 2014

Thx. I had not seen that. We are expecting another petition signed by upwards of 3million citizens urging us to act on neonics soon. Arvin and I are discussing next week.

On an "up note", my team followed up with John Worgan, one of the two scientists with EWG and Gary Hirschber urging you not to register 2,4-D. The other scientist, Dr Landrigan decline our offer to walk him through the science in depth. We spent considerable time with Dr Worgan taking him through our assessment and he came away impressed with both the depth of our analysis and the conservatism built in. Unclear what he will do with that knowledge but it was encouraging to know our facts can be compelling. We are planning technical briefings along these lines on decision day. Have a great weekend.

Jim Jones

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Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the Verizon Wireless 4G LTE network.

From: Adm13McCarthy, Gina

Sent: Friday, September 26, 2014 4:50 PM

To: Jones, Jim

Subject: FW: Daily Reading File: September 26, 2014

Just an FYI about the correspondence re: bees.

From: Gaines, Cynthia

Sent: Friday, September 26, 2014 3:49 PM

To: Adm13McCarthy, Gina; Ali, Mustafa; Ganesan, Arvin; Beauvais, Joel; Bond, Brian; briefings; Distefano, Nichole; Wachter, Eric; Feldt, Lisa; Fritz, Matthew; KeyesFleming, Gwendolyn; Vaught, Laura; Morales, Esther; Reynolds, Thomas;

Rogers, Faith; Rupp, Mark; Burley, Veronica **Subject:** Daily Reading File: September 26, 2014